

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Elie AYACHE

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Program Product for Use of Lattices in

Valuing Options

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Reply Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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Sir:

In reply to the Office Action dated March 10, 2006, Applicant submits the following Remarks.

It is not believed that extensions of time or fees for net addition of claims are required beyond those that may otherwise be provided for in documents accompanying However, if additional extensions of time are necessary to prevent abandonment of this application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), and any fees required therefor (including fees for net addition of claims) are hereby authorized to be charged to our Deposit Account No. 19-0036.